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EDITORIAL

Last month we had terrible trouble with the Duplicators. A new one on appro was no good, and our own old one gave out, so we are sorry that some of the copies were smeary and untidy. Better luck this time, I hope.

There was a lot of comment on the Parish Council and Douglas Ward, the Chairman, has replied. We print his letter in full. You will also find a report on the Public Meeting concerning the Broiler Houses issue. You will all know that the planning application in question was turned down on grounds of siting and Cherwell District has another application to consider now.

As far as criticism of the Parish Council is concerned, you are probably aware that on May 8th a new Parish Council will be elected (or re-elected) so this is the time when all adult villagers will be in a position to express their wishes by voting. Nominations for candidates have to be at Bodicote House by April 8 on an official form, and have to be proposed and seconded.

In conclusion may I once again appeal for more volunteers to help Jill Selwood (38175) with the collation of the paper, and we would also like to hear of more typists (complete with typewriters!) who would be willing to take a turn doing the stencils, and of any one who is willing to help generally at short notice.

MARIANNE ELSLEY

DIARY

April	8	W.I. Roman Cookery
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May	8	Parish Council elections
	10	Charity Auction for Bells 11.30 a.m. Castle Farm
	31	H.W.C. Garden Fete 2.30

The Parish Council's Chairman replies to letters in The News

I regret that the Leadenporch Farm planning application has caused so much ill feeling in the village. Some aspects of this need explaining. Contrary to what Mr. Bill Drake asserts in his letter, Councillors stand for election every four years and the present term of office ends this coming May. All those on the voting list will be able to vote and new nominees may stand. It is easy to say you are not being represented when Council decisions do not go your way but it should be remember that the Councillors also represent the applicant, his employees and the farming community of the Parish. Most of those people who packed our usually ignored Council Meeting in February left the Town Hall before a decision was taken on a planning application for 52 new houses, which may have more impact on the village than the agricultural buildings !

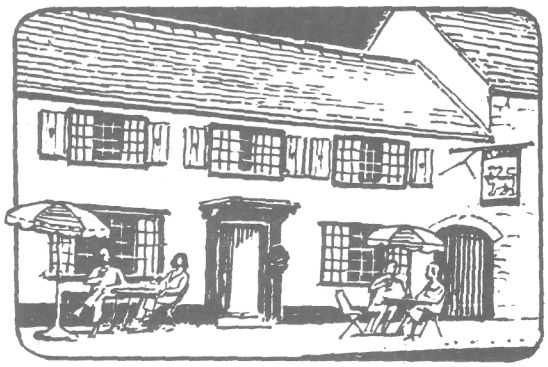
Deddington News incorrectly reported that decisions taken at the January meeting resulted from the Chairman's casting vote. In fact I used only my ordinary member's vote, the same as the other Councillors and since there was a majority against each proposal a casting vote was not necessary.

It was distressing to hear that because I had moved beyond the Parish boundary (about 1½ miles - down wind), I no longer cared. I hope that none of the new nominees for the Parish Council will have such a selfish and parochial outlook. When I lived in North Aston and then Duns Tew I did not notice that the borders were so jealously guarded; perhaps we should now instal a customs pole ? Seriously though, my loyalties are unchanged by the fact that there were no suitable houses for sale nearer the centre following the disposal of my business. At the December meeting immediately following my move I offered to resign as Chairman but the offer was declined. Councillors are entitled to live up to 3 miles from the boundary.

Parish Councils play a fairly minor roll in planning. They are given copies of plans 14 days before Planning Meetings so that they may comment or offer facts based upon local knowledge. This Council sometimes "recommends", more usually has "no objection" and occasionally "objects" with reasons given. At the December meeting the Council objected (no vote was taken), mainly on visual grounds due to proximity to the road. Unusually the applicant responded by doubling the distance from the road. The Council was divided as to whether this was a sufficient response and voted narrowly for no objection I suggested that individuals could write to the CDC and very many did so. Anyone may do this and those most affected are usually invited to do so by the CDC. Some have questioned the democracy involved. Do they really want a referendum for planning comments and are they prepared to pay for it?

The Parish Councillor's work is unpaid and generally mundane so perhaps they should be pleased when there is a rare hot issue like the traffic lights, the Windmill Centre, the main road lights or the current planning application ! I'm not too sure whether Deddington News is right to take sides in its Editorial however, and I hope that anyone who wishes to foster the overall interests of the community will do so by standing for office in the May election.

DOUGLAS WARD



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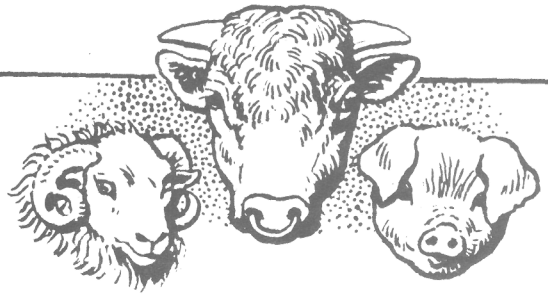

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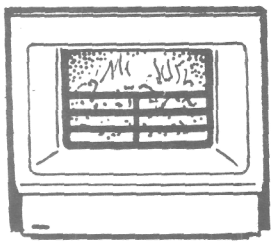

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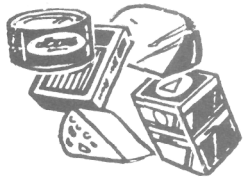

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PUBLIC MEETING re Planning Application for Broiler Houses at Leadenporch Farm held at Hindmill Centre, 5th March at 8.00 p.m.

In the Chair County Councillor Roger Croft. Also present Mr.Hart, Chairman of the Sub-Committee of the Planning Committee, Mr.Green, Public Officer, and Mr. Ross from Environmental Health Dept. The meeting was extremely well attended by residents of Deddington, Clifton and Hempton. All seats were taken and any available space was filled with people standing.

Mr.Green introduced the application for 3 broiler houses 11' in height to the ridge, and a grain store 33' in height and showed the plans. The broiler houses ran North to South and the proposed site would be landscaped and surrounded by trees and would cover an area of 46,000 sq.ft A total of 51,000 birds over a 10 week period would be fattened here, followed by a two week clearning out and re-stocking period.

Site/Location The acreage of the site would be 2.66 acres (100m x 100m) A query was made as to how long the trees screening the site would take to grow, this was estimated at 10 years. The possibility of transplanting mature trees could not be ruled out. Public opinion was that the site of the second application was on the brow of a hill and would therefore be seen from North Aston as well as Deddington, suggestions were made as to moving the site further down towards the Leadenporch Farm, but doubt was expressed by the Chairman as to whether lorries could negotiate this gradient The possibility was not ruled out and would be assessed after the site meeting on 6th March. Many people agreed that the site further down the hill would be preferable, due to it being less visible.

Disposal of Waste & Manure After a cycle of 10 weeks of rearing chicks, the broiler houses would have a 6 day clearing out period ready for the next delivery of chicks. The cycle of all 3 broiler houses would coincide. As to the storing of the manure this would be stored over a 10 month period on the south side of the site, the area of waste would be 36,000 sq ft. This apparently would crust over slightly decreasing the smell; the possibility of sheeting this over was being looked into. Seepage of waste into the water system could not be ruled out, and no guarantee could be given of there being no smell.

Access/Bridleway It was confirmed that the character of the bridleway from the Clifton Road would change, if that route was taken, resulting in a possible loss of a leisure activity, i.e. walking and riding. The bridleway from the Clifton Road would still be designated a bridleway even though large lorries would be using it, whereas only tractors have used it before infrequently. Concern was shown for childrens' safety using the bridleway, with lorries going to and fro. A safe walk-way was suggested, but this apparently is not legally enforceable. Speed ramps could be looked into. As regards the weight restriction the Parish Council are trying to impose on the B4031 the lorries would still be allowed to travel to and from the site. A total of 41 lorry movements per cycle are expected. Lorries would be leaving the site at 7 am or 2 am. Chapmans Lane was not looked at favourably as a possible access route because of the poor access onto the A423

We understand from Clr.Croft that the Planning Committee inspected the site for the proposed Broiler Houses before their official meeting on 6th March. As a result of the committee's discussion Clr.Croft proposed that planning permission should be refused. We understand, also, that the refusal was made mainly on grounds of the siting. The applicant is free to appeal within the next six weeks.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING - 26th MARCH

Present : Vice Chairman Mr. Hayward, Councillors Garrett, Fenemore, Stevens, Garvey, Webber, Mrs.Cheeseman and Mrs.Robinson

Apologies : Chairman Mr.Ward, Cellrs.Fuller, Gardner, O'Neill, George.

The Minutes of the meeting of PC held 26th February were approved and signed by the Vice Chairman, acting as Chairman.

Playgroup Fence : A letter was received expressing extreme concern about the delay in rectifying the fence. It was confirmed that Mr.Bond had been in contact with the contractors who were experiencing delay in receiving chain link fencing. Resolved an urgent letter be sent direct to the contractors.

Electricity Supply Emergencies : Mr. Cannell has been appointed for the duty of informing Electricity Board in event of interruption of supply.

Earls Lane Parking : Letter received from County Surveyor to the effect that traffic restrictions are being looked into.

Leadenporch Farm : Planning refusal was received regarding second application for broiler houses. Wording as follows : In the opinion ofthe local planning authority, the proposed buildings because of their size, massing and form, would be unduly intrusive and prominent in an exposed and open area of the countryside which is situated in a designated area of high landscape value and the proposal would seriously detract from the visual amenities of the area and the character of this pleasant tract of countryside.

Church Bells Appeal : Now wish to hold a 50/50 Auction at Castle Farm on 10th May instead of the fair on Spring bank holiday. Also wish to hold a Fair in the Market Place on Saturday 12th July. A meeting is to be held in the town hall on Monday 7th April at 7.30 p.m. for people wishing to support the Church Bells Appeal.

Playgroup Stall - 14th June at Town Hall - no objection

Letter from Parish Authority to District Council regarding meeting to be held on Thursday 18th September for Councillors to attend. Letter from Mr.Allen of Solar Designs inviting councillors to visit his workshops on 9th April at either 3.30 or 6.00 p.m. Application for licence for "Justices Restaurant" (formerly Priory Tea Rooms). Post Office - application for off-licence Planning refusal received for dwellings in Chapmans Lane. Letter from Community Health Council regarding public meeting on 14th April at 7.30 p.m Oxford Town Hall. Donation received from Solar Designs Football Club toward grass cutting. Annual Report of Oxfordshire Field Paths Society received, asking if PC would like to join at £2 per annum - PC decided against

Alteration of Parish Boundary : Just North of the Clifton Bridge, it is proposed to move the boundary along the line of the river, which would not affect nearby housing - no objections

Best Kept Village Competition: It was decided that just Deddington should be entered, not Clifton and Hempton. Mrs.Cheeseman offered to promote this.

Allotments : £40 is still outstanding from people renting allotments. There are now several vacant plots, resolved that a notice should go in the Deddington News advertising these.

Windmill Centre : Condensation is still causing a problem, the architect and Universal Welding are being chased for a solution before next winter.

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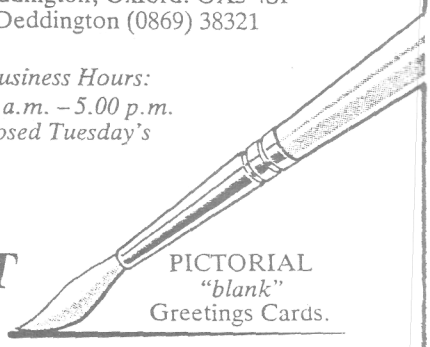

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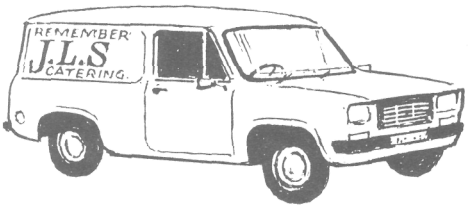

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PARISH COUNCIL MEETING Continued

Planning Applications Re-siting of Manor Farmhouse to O.S.5070 - resolved to shelve until other housing application in this vicinity is dealt with. Poultry houses and grain store at Leadenporch Farm - although no definite objections were made, there were still some areas of concern, i.e. use of bridleway - lorries and walkers are not compatible, a safe green walk way was suggested. Spreading of effluent - proposed that conditions should be enforced as to where effluent is spread. Section 52 agreement - still to be asked for (no further development). Resolved that these areas of concern be conveyed to CC. Extension at 13 Hempton Road - no objection. Home Farm Clifton - construction of double garage. Councillor Fenemore declared an interest. No objection.

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Rosemary Ellis

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HOLY BAPTISM 9th March Rebecca Louise, daughter of Joseph and Lorraine (nee Gilkes) Hutchings

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING Friday 18th April at the School at 7.30 p.m. Annual Meetings can be tedious. Elections of the same old faces to the same old offices; presentations of the same old accounts (always a little higher each year); essential work postponed because of lack of money.

We do better than this We have a few changes on the Parochial Church Council most years. We have accounts that ought to be of interest - surplus in 1984, deficit in 1985. We hear what is going on locally and nationally.

We invite all Church members to this meeting. We shall begin with coffee and prayers. There will be half an hour set aside for questions "from the floor" on any Church subject. It will help us to arrange this if you tell the Secretary of the PCC, Ted Johnson, or myself, that you want to ask a question, and what it is. Please submit nominations for the PCC to the Secretary by 13th April.

20th April at 10.30 a.m. Preacher - the Rev.Bernard Brown, Secretary of the Diocesan Pastoral Committee. He is the man who tries to avoid putting round clergymen in square parishes. (It must be this way round, for I never heard of a square clergyman).

RICHARD HANNAH

MOTHER'S UNION

The Mothers' Union will not have a Branch meeting this month. We will attend the Deanery Quiet Evening at Adderbury Church on Monday 7th April at 7.30 p.m.

Lady Day this year fell in Holy Week, so the Church keeps it on 7th April instead. There will be a Celebration of Holy Communion on Wednesday 9th April at 10.0 a.m. in the Church. This will be an act of Corporate Communion for our Branch in honour of Lady Day. An act which we are asked to try and keep.

The May meeting will be on Thursday 1st May at 2.00 p.m.

PAT HANNAH

CHURCH CHOIR

On Palm Sunday we welcomed visiting organist Julian Callow, who accompanied the singing of Malcolm Williamson's "Procession of Palms". Music for Easter Sunday included "An Easter Greeting" by Martin How and the carols "Love is come again" and "This joyful Eastertide".

At a recent choir meeting we started to make plans for our third singing holiday in West Wales, which will take place in August. The benefits of our two previous such holidays have been tremendous and we look forward once again to singing in several different churches during our week there and gaining more experience in adjusting our singing to different buildings and occasions, generally keeping "on our toes" and coping with the unexpected.

Most of our adult members will be taking part in a "Meet, Eat and Sing" evening at Bloxham School on 21st April. There will be a chance to meet Dr. Lionel Dakers, Director of the Royal School of Church Music

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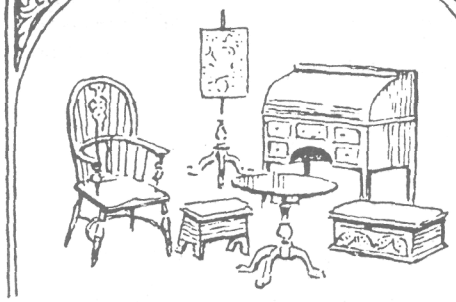

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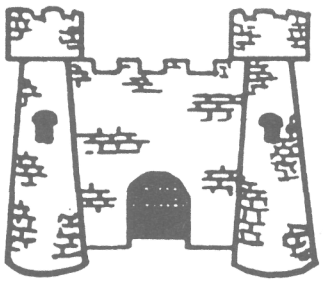

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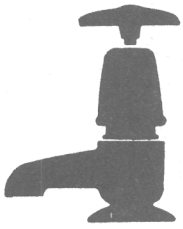

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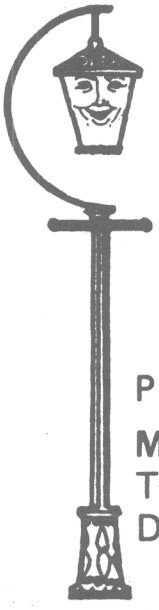

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DEDDINGTON FIRE SERVICE

Fire Calls During the last month we have received 20 calls, which is about average. The calls were made up as follows - 9 chimney fires, 3 calls to farm fires, 1 road traffic accident, 1 car fire, 1 call to a warehouse fire at Fine Lady Bakeries, 1 false alarm with good intent, 3 calls to stand by at Banbury Fire Station and 1 call to a chemical leakage. This brings the total number of calls so far this year to 63.

The chemical leakage was discovered by pure chance when the Thames Valley Police were carrying out checks on heavy goods vehicles some 10 miles south of Deddington. One articulated lorry carrying a load of 45 gallon drums was stopped and the police started to check the vehicle. They noticed something dripping from the trailer and upon consultation with the driver, they were told that all the drums were full of chemicals. It was at this point the Fire Service were called. One water tender and the chemical incident Unit were dispatched from Kidlington together with one water tender from Woodstock, the time being approx.12.30 p.m.

Upon arrival the firecrews donned chemical protection suits and breathing apparatus and approached the lorry to ascertain the severity of the leak and the chemicals involved, everyone else being kept at a safe distance upwind. A specialist crew of chemists were called to the scene from A.E.R.E. Harwell who confirmed that the chemical was of a very undesirable nature. The firm who owned the chemicals was then contacted and a team of men from their factory in Cheshire were asked to attend.

We were called out at 21.00 hrs to relieve the crews who had been at the scene for their allotted time. When we reached the scene everyone was still awaiting the arrival of the team from Cheshire, who eventually arrived at just after midnight. After lengthy discussions between the Senior Fire Officer, the police and the men from Cheshire a plan of action was decided upon. We then got dressed in our chemical protection suits and breathing apparatus, as did the men from the firm, and then with the aid of a large crane the leaking drums were lifted and lowered into larger overdrums and sealed. The job was eventually wrapped up at approximately 03.00 hours.

Once again we returned home very cold, very tired, getting to bed at 3.45 a.m. and knowing full well we still had to get up at 6.30 a.m. to go to work.

A.P. HUMPHRIES

DEDDINGTON ROYAL BRITISH LEGION CLUB

Entertainment

Saturday	19th April	Shane
Saturday	3rd May	Nightwatch

Members £1.25 Visitors £1.75 Children 75p

A.P. HUMPHRIES

DEDDINGTON GUIDES

Well, after a very full and busy term we are all looking forward to some fine evenings so that we can get outside a bit. Seven senior guides have almost completed their home nurse badge and have had to put in some extra time to get it all done. It has proved very interesting as in learning about nursing and caring for people we have had some very thought-provoking discussions.

Continuing with our fitness badge we have again been made to think very carefully about what we eat and drink, correct use and abuse of drugs etc., smoking and how all these things affect our bodies and our lives. You can see why our brains need a rest now!

Although at meetings we have had almost 100% attendance each night we didn't do quite so well on Mothering Sunday in church. However, we had some very smart guides and many took part in colour parties, or helped as sidesmen etc. Thank you to them and all those who helped make posies on Saturday.

Well done to our two junior road-safety teams. In the recent quiz of 37 teams, Sarah Brown, Penny Morris and Hannah Thompson were 4th. Well done also to Claudia and Sophie Dawson, Thea Newman, and Sarah Gibbs in a North Newington team who were all well placed.

About six guides are helping with the Rainbow Club during the Easter holidays - they help to look after handicapped children whilst their mothers have a break (yes, all the mothers). It is very enjoyable, but tiring!

We had two rather sad goodbyes at the last meeting. Hazel Rampley is now too old for guides and has moved up into the Ranger section, but we hope will return to us in the summer as a Young Leader. Sarah Maskery is moving to Bicester and we hope she will continue with her guiding there. We will miss her and her great enthusiasm and way of getting things done. She worked extremely hard as a Patrol Leader and, true to form even at the last minute, went to a lot of trouble to get her guides tested for a badge - the Toymakers - so all their work wouldn't be in vain. Well done Orchid Patrol, and good luck Sarah!

We hope to see you all trying your luck on the games we are running at the Windmill Centre Spring Fayre on April 5th.

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday April 8th	P.L.'s and 2nds meet HQ 7-8.30 p.m. no uniform
" April 15th	normal meeting
Sunday April 27th	St. George's Day Parade Banbury, coach
Saturday May 10th	9.30 - 12.30 carwash in Bullring

Maggie Rampley,
Guider

SCOUT NEWS

I must have known by putting in the Deddington News last month that we could only return if there were more leaders I'd be proved wrong. I had only just put the 'copy' in when one of the Bodicote leaders said that he would help in Deddington if needed. So we are now making arrangements to return to the Centre on Thursday nights - after Cubs in mid April. We still intend to maintain our links with Bodicote for activities including canoeing, caving and climbing.

Beaause of our impending return we have formed two patrols with Shaun Hale and Greg Rampley as P.L.'s, Michael Scott and Mark Stewart as A.P.L.'s. We are increasing our numbers with the investitures of Daniel Kedge, Chris Brock, Nicholas Stewart, Alan Healy, Jonathan Shaw and Edward Walsh who have all come from the Cub Pack.

We will soon be doing our 'Job Week'. Please save any jobs for our cubs and scouts when they call - in part or full uniform with an official job card. The money they raise is for our funds to help us buy new equipment, insurance and running expenses. No job is too small.

Alan Rampley
Scout Leader

WESLEYAN CHAPEL

Every Wednesay evening, at a different home each week, a large group of Christians meet for a time of Fellowship. It is interdenominational, and if you would like to experience the Power and Love of God with us, then telephone 38024 for this week's venue.

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In addition to Sunday morning services the Wesleyan Chapel will be opening for CELEBRATED WORSHIP at 6.00 p.m. on the first Sunday in every month. These monthly services are to be led by the Holy Spirit and Christians of all denominations are welcome to join us. A full New-Testament ministry will be available - so bring the sick for prayer.
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Mums and Toddlers are welcome to join our friendly club which meets on Friday mornings in the Church Hall, Church Street, 10.00 a.m. - 12.00 noon.

The Rev. Able

BROWNIES

Oh, the joy of our new Windmill Centre! We have all, leaders included, appreciated the comforts of a warm, clean, well-lit, toilets - and in-the-same-block meeting place, to say nothing of carpets! Thank you to all concerned for the lovely Youth Room provided for us.

The first three meetings of the term were at Castle House as the Centre was not ready. Brownies were able to cook, start to learn about Brownies in other countries, and enjoy prayers and singing in the chapel. As soon as we moved in to the Centre, Victoria and Alexandra James-Priday, Victoria Evans, and Harriet Symes joined the Pack, bringing our numbers back up to 24 - the maximum. They made their promises at the beginning of March.

On February 25th, Barford Brownies came over and joined us for an International Thinking Day evening. We sampled foods from Brazil, Turkey, Malasia and Denmark, as well as playing games from other countries. We ended up with a candle-lit ceremony when the money for the Thinking Day Fund was collected: £10.95.

Mothering Sunday saw us in Church, 18 out of 24, which was super; and lots of our mums came as well. Emma Maskery, Vicky Weatherhead and Louisa Dawson represented us at the Junior Road Safety Quiz in Banbury. They were the only Brownie team there, were among the youngest present, and with no preparation, did not come last. Well done to them.

Mrs Pat Hannah and Mrs Maggie Rampley have been teaching the older Brownies First Aid. At our last meeting of the term they all had a go on the "Resussi-Annie" resuscitation doll, and passed their test. Other Brownies have taken Toymaker, Artist, Craft, House Orderly and Cook Badges; also Agility.

Next term we are looking forward to our outing to the Windsor Safari Park on Saturday 26th April. The next day, Sunday 27th, is the annual St. George's Day parade in Banbury, and the Brownies have promised me they will be able to do both - I wonder if they really will!

Thank you to all who collect newspaper and clean tinfoil for us, and used postage stamps. We are very grateful to all who help us.

Vivien Pleydell-Bouverie

DEDDINGTON PLAYGROUP

Thank you to all the villages who supported our Jumble Sale on that bitterly cold Saturday 1st March - we raised £64.00

We ended the term with an "Egg Hunt" for all our playgroup children which was a great success; and also by saying "goodbye" to our Supervisor who had decided to take another job nearer to her own home in Banbury. Fortunately for us, Mrs. Susan Goss, has agreed to take over the Supervisor position with immediate effect. We all wish her a happy and successful future.

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Playgroup continued

However, we are now looking for a new assistant and we would prefer a local person. If you are interested please contact someone at the Playgroup as soon as possible.

Like many village organisations we will be running a stall at the Windmill Spring Fayre on Saturday 5th April. Ours will be "an amusement corner for the under 7 yrs". We hope to see YOU there!

Christine Gower
Secretary

W.I.

The March meeting is the time of our AGM and the election of the new committeee. Unfortunately we had only one new momination, so the committee is as before. We were hoping that some of the newer and younger members would be prepared to serve, but this was not so. We hope for better things next time. Our new President is Mrs. Rosemary Herring, and we wish her all the best for her term of office. We are sure she will enoy it.

After the formal meeting we had a most interesting quiz arranged by Daphne Harper. She asked 50 questions on the subject of Deddington, and we were amazed how little we knew about our own village. Some fascinating facts came to light and I think we learnt more about the village in those few minutes than for years before. Mrs. Ivings got the most marks, she really has a good grasp on local knowledge.

Our next meeting will be on April 8th. The subject will be Roman Cookery and it should be a most rewarding lecture and demonstration. We have room for a few more new members, so if you are interested, do come along, at 7.30 p.m. Holly Tree Club.

Marianne Elsley.

W.I.RECIPE

This makes a change for potatoes

Peel and thinly slice the potatoes, chop half an onion. Just blanch the potato slices (1 minute in boiling water), and drain.
Grease a pie dish and arrange potato slices in layers, alternating with the onion and add a knob of butter or marg.

Heat up enough milk to ocver the layers of potato, add salt and pepper, pour over the slices, top with a little butter or marg and grate a layer of cheese over the top. Bake in a moderate oven until the top is brown and the potatoes are nice and mushy. You can add a little bit more flavour to this if you put ½ clove of crushed garlic in with the onion.

CHARITY AUCTION in Aid of Bell Fund

Please make a note in your diary of the Charity Auction on Saturday 10th May at 11.30 a.m. at Castle Farm, Deddington. Letters will be circulated shortly regarding items of furniture, curios, antiques etc for sale either on a 50/50 basis or as a complete donation towards the Church Bells.

For further details please telephone:

John Burden on 38150

HOLLY TREE CLUB

We would just like to bring to the notice of those who are interested, that our first outing will take place on Wednesday May 21st. A coach will leave Deddington Market Place at 1.00 p.m. for Bedford.
A second outing is also to be arranged for Wednesday 18th June to the Wye Valley, leaving Deddington Market Place at 9.00 a.m. traversing the Cotswold countryside, a trip of an estimated mileage of 200 miles.
Also, on August 13th, a coach will run to Bournemouth, leaving Deddington at 8.30 a.m.
Further details of these outings will be available from Mr. E. Lines (Chairman HTC) telephone Deddington 38633.
We welcome all old friends and new who wish to join us; also please make a date in your diary for May 31st at 2.30 p.m. when we will be holding our Annual Garden Fete in the Holly Tree Club gardens. Please come and support our efforts.

P. Busby
Hon. Secretary, HTC

DEDDINGTON BOWLS CLUB

We hope that winter is now behind us and look forward to some beautiful warm dry evenings so we can all meet once again on the bowling green. We would especially like to welcome new members, this is no longer an old mans game, so come along whatever age you are and you will find a welcome waits you, my wife said she would like to see a few more ladies to natter to, if the weather is suitable our season should start about the last week of April. So come along to the green which is opposite the Health Centre, of if you would like to know more, just give me a ring on Fitwell 6674

Don Walker

A BOOK OF POEMS

This book has been written by Don Walker and should be available by Easter. Most of the poems have a religious theme and all profits from this book will be donated to St. Clares Church, Fritwell, and Fritwell Wesleyan Reform Chapel, anyone who would like a copy, please contact Percy Walker on Deddington 38320.

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* **Vegetable and Nut Burgers** – each 25p
Burgers with a difference. Vegetables, nuts, yoghurt and spices give this dish a taste of the Orient.

QUICHES AND FLANS

* **Vegetable Medley** – 7″ £1.40p 8″ £1.80p
Diced root vegetables in a cheese custard contained in a wholemeal pastry flan case.

Welsh Onion – 7″ £1.40p 8″ £1.80p
Lightly sautéd onion with oregano and black pepper in a cheese sauce.

Spanish – 7″ £1.40p 8″ £1.80p
Cheese, onion, potato, peppers and vegetables in a spicy garlic egg custard.

Mushroom – 7″ £1.40p 8″ £1.80p
Mushrooms, onion and herbs in a cheese custard.

Lorraine – 7″ £1.50p 8″ £1.90p
Onions, lean smoked bacon in a mildly herbed savoury egg custard. Made either with a shortcurst or wholemeal pastry case.

Prawn – 7″ £1.60p 8″ £2.00p
A delicate blend of prawns and cheese in a creamy parsley sauce.

* **Asparagus** – 7″ £1.60p 8″ £2.00p
A delicate blend of puréed asparagus and cheese in a savoury egg custard and topped with asparagus spears in a wholemeal pastry case.

PIZZA (all approx. 10″ round) AND PASTA

* **Cheese and Tomato** – £1.40p
Sautéd onions in a thick tomato sauce flavoured with oregano and topped with cheese. Either with a white or wholemeal base.

Mushroom – £1.60p
Tomato and onion with a layer of sautéd mushrooms and topped with cheese

JLS Special – £2.00p
Tomato, cheese and mushroom topped with full slices of garlic sausage and then more cheese

Lasagne – 10″ square £3.50p 2 portion £1.75p
Minced beef, onion, tomato cooked in a thick herby sauce, layered with pasta and a creamy cheese sauce and topped with cheese to give a golden topping.

* **Leek and Celery Bake** – 2 portion £1.20p
Cheese sauce binding together leeks and celery top a layer of herby macaroni. The dish is finished with a layer of wholemeal crumbs and cheese. Ideal for lunch or supper.

PIES (all 7″ unless otherwise stated)

Steak and kidney – 10″ square £3.50p 7″round £2.75p
Lean pieces of steak and kidney in a rich gravy encased in a shortcrust pastry case.

Minced Beef – 7″ £1.70p
Lean minced beef with sautéd onions in a rich gravy.

Minced Beef and Bean – 7″ £1.50p
A favourite with children. Minced beef and baked beans in a tomato sauce.

Herby Sausage – 7″ £1.70p – 8″ £2.00p
Pork sausagemeat, onion and herbs mixed together to make this tasty pie. Good hot or cold.

Spicy Corned Beef Slice – 2 portion £1.00p
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MAIN MEAT AND POULTRY DISHES (all two portions)

Chicken/Turkey à la King – £2.65p
Chicken or turkey cooked with mushrooms and peppers in a delicate cream sauce.

Chicken with cashew nuts Chinese style – £3.00p
Strips of chicken cooked with onion, ginger, honey and soy sauce mixed with golden toasted cashew nuts.

Danish Curried Chicken – £3.00p
Strips of chicken cooked in a tasty mild curry sauce.

Traditional Mexican Chilli – £1.80p
Lean minced beef, red beans and tomato cooked in a hot chilli sauce.

* **Curried Nut Loaf** – 4 – 6 portions £3.25p
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Hungarian Beef Goulash – £2.95p
Pieces of lean beef and peppers cooked in a hot paprika tomato sauce.

Boeuf Bourguignonne – £3.80p
Beef, smoked bacon and onions cooked in red wine and brandy.

Somerset Pork – £2.90p
Slices of lean pork cooked with mushrooms in a spicy cider sauce.

Pork in ginger – £2.85p
Strips of pork with tomato and root vegetables in a sweet and sour ginger sauce.

VEGETABLES – These dishes can also be used as a starter or supper dish (all 2 portions). All at £1.20p.

* **Courgette Milano** – Courgette, tomato and onion cooked with wine and herbs.
* **Cauliflower Mornay** – Florets of cauliflower in a cheese sauce with a crispy cheese topping.
* **Onions in Cream Sauce** – Onions incorporated in a delicate cream sauce.
* **Mushroom Provencale** – Mushrooms cooked in a herby tomato sauce.
* **Onions à la Greque** – Onion, tomato and sultanas cooked in white wine – good hot or cold
* **Vegetable and Cheese Bake** – Diced root vegetables cooked in a cheese sauce and topped with cheese.
* **Creamed Peppered Cabbage** – Shredded cabbage bound in a peppered creamed sauce.
* **Buttered Jacket Potatoes** – potato mixed with butter and topped with butter – each .50p
– with cheese – each .65p
– with cheese and smoked bacon – each .65p
* **Potato Hotcakes** – grated potato and onion bound together with free range eggs – each .15p

SOUPS (individual portions)

* **Carrot and orange**	– 50p	**French Onion**	– 50p
Spicy Leek and Potato	– 45p	**Vegetable**	– 45p

SWEETS (all 7″ round unless otherwise stated)

100% Butter Almond Pudding – £1.20
Crispy rich sponge made with 100% butter encasing a layer of fresh fruit.

Treacle and Lemon Tart – .95p
An open pastry case filled with a mixture of sweet golden syrup and tangy lemon.

Fruit Pie – £1.20p
Fresh fruit in a shortcrust pastry case.

Fruit Crumble – £1.20p
Fresh fruit under a crumble mixture made with 100% butter.

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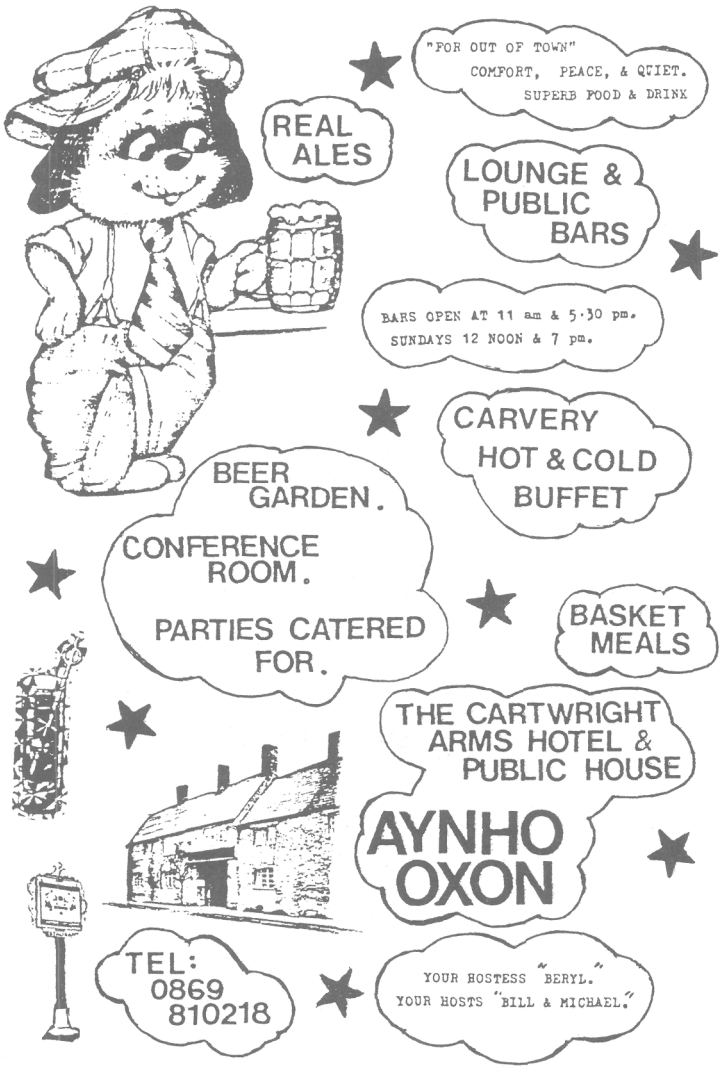

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TENNIS CLUB

Winter is over , so here are some dates for your Diaries for the next month or so: Tennis Club Social Sessions every Wednesday from 6pm, and Saturday 2.30 -6. Jenny Soddy (38298) will start a creche Wednesday or Friday (according to demand) for the benefit of Mums who would like to play. Contact her, please. Please note the Windmill Centre Fete. The Club are having a Bric-a Brac stall. Please contact Jenny Soddy or Susanne Allen if you have any contributions. Junior coaching for 9-11 year olds each Tuesday evening from 5-6. For 12 year olds from 6-7pm. Please contact any committee member if you want to play. Mixed Doubles Round Robin . Names to Betty Hill please by Wednesday, April 30th. The draw for teams will be made during Club Night on April 30th, the order of play will be posted on the courts on May 1st. Play will begin at 1.30, Saturday May 3rd.
GRAND SUMMER BALL This will be at Maund's Farmhouse on the evening of June 21st. Live Band, Sumptious Supper , watch this space for more details. Jenny Soddy.

TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB

February's snows went just in time for both our teams. Any more delay would have meant major problems with backlogs of fixtures at the end of the season, This would have been bad news for Bobby Robson with the World Cup so close, as it is believed he has been considering several of our players for his Mexico trip. Once again results have been inconsistent. After a six week's lay off the first team lost their fixture at Bodicote. They did make amends the following Saturday, however with a 1-0 victory at Tysoe in the Benevolent Cup. The Reserves started brightly with a hard earned 3-2 win over Middleton Cheney, who topped the division earlier in the season. This left them i buoyant mood for their Cave Cup semifinal tie with General Foods. A 4-1 defeat was not what was planned, but on the day victory went to the much better side. --- Meanwhile the Clubs weekly 200 Club Draw has restarted. A full and up to date list of winners will appear in the next Deddington News. Kevin Beale

CUB Scouts

We are very sorry that we are not able to print the Cub Scout news --- out of space, I fear. But please remember that JOB week is here again, and do try and find some tasks for the boys who come round. The money earned is needed for paying the boys' Capitation and for funding the Group, District and Scouting in general. More next time. R.J.Scott

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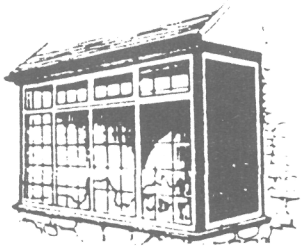

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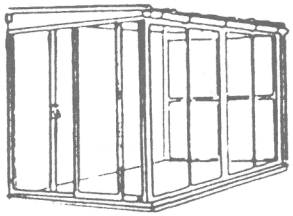

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DEDDINGTON TENNIS CLUB:

You could be forgiven for believing that with 6 inches of snow and ice covering the club courts there had been little activity from within the Tennis Club over the past few weeks. However you would be wrong. First, there was the AGM which was the best attended so far with a very busy agenda and plenty of lively discussion and serving as a useful introduction for us all to the fabulous facilities offered by the Windmill Centre. There was far too much business discussed to report here but two items of general interest and affecting everyone were the proposal to enter a 4th team into the Banbury Town Tennis League for which we now await their acceptance and secondly the evergreen topic of subscription rates and their payment. It was generally agreed that subscriptions needed to increase in order to keep pace with inflation and incremental costs in 1986. However, it's not all bad news because if you act quickly and make contact with any of the committee in order to pay your subs within the weekend of this Deddington News being delivered you can still pay at the 1985 rates as shown below:-

	1985 Rates	1986 Rates
Adult	£22.00	£23.00
Husband & Wife	£35.00	£37.00
Family	£41.00	£43.00
Junior	£7.50	£8.00
Non-Playing Associate	£3.50	£4.00
Student	£10.00	£11.00

The AGM also agreed that a much greater emphasis should be placed on social tennis, also extending the already excellent coaching offered to players of all ages and abilities. Particular emphasis will be placed on coaching for Juniors with sessions specifically for the 7-9 and 9+ age groups. As soon as we have sorted out the actual times and dates and the snow has melted off the courts we will publish full details in the Deddington News as well as post all the necessary information on the notice boards up at the courts. So keep your eyes open and you won't miss out.

A part of the social tennis programme will be the allocation of one evening per week and every Saturday afternoon for the playing of tennis, when everyone is invited to come along to the courts and play tennis with people of varying degrees of competence in "friendly matches" and generate a thirst and hunger that can be subsequently satisfied with drinks from the Windmill Bar and a range of tasty snacks specially prepared for club members. One of the regular "fun-tennis" events in the club calendar is the "Round Robin Tournament" normally held in May and you will be pleased to know that this popular event will be repeated this year although we have not yet confirmed the dates, so watch this space! The other major event during this cold and wintry spell has been a double first.
The first major social event in the club diary and the first major social event to be held within the marvellous new Windmill Centre was very appropriately held on February 14th, "The St. Valentines Day Dance. The capacity attendance of Deddingtonians and friends from neighbouring villages ensured that the evening was a roaring success and provided a fitting "kick-off" to the Windmill Centre, very much a part of our village life. Many club members worked especially hard to make the evening run smoothly but special thanks are extended to Anne Kennedy for the wonderful displays she created to dress the hall, and also to Mrs. Poole,(Joy Drake's Mum)

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DEDDINGTON BADMINTON CLUB:

The Club is very much alive and thriving at The Windmill, and playing three evenings each week on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 7 - 10 pm. Junior coaching takes place on Wednesday from 5.30 - 7 pm.

Subscription rates have been set as follows for the current season, i.e. end January to end April 1986:

Adults: £12.00: Junior (Under 16) £8.00 16 - 18 (non-earning): £6.00 Family(husband & wife): £24.00 PLUS £6.00 per child.

A playing fee of 30 pence will be levied on each Club evening.

Subscriptions are due NOW and should be paid to Vojsava Fakhro (tel 38925). As we have only one court, membership of the Club has to be limited and will be on a first come first served basis. The number of members is already approaching the maximum so please don't delay if you wish to join.

Commencing 2nd March for four Sunday afternoons Clive Sanders will be coaching beginners: 14 - 18 yrs from 2 - 3.30 pm; over 18 yrs from 3.30 - 5 pm. If anyone is interested in taking part please telephone Clive on 38304 for further information.

JANET BROADBENT

DEDDINGTON TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB:

The weather put paid to most of February and only one game was possible for each of the Club's two sides.

Our first team were back to winning ways with a 2-1 away victory at Grimsbury, Meanwhile the reserves greeted the arrival of February and visitors Alex Lawrie with an avalanche of goals. A 10 - 0 win was virtually unthinkable, but that was the scoreline. Regular marksman Micky Spiers managed seven of the ten, which included a goal apiece for veterans John Stiff and Arthur Fairns. It was an unforgettable game for all the Deddington players which left them eagerly awaiting the next fixture. Thanks to the snow they are still waiting.....

KEVIN BEALE

HEMPTON - TABLE TENNIS CLUB:

As a few of you may know, we have had a table tennis team at Hempton for the past 4 seasons. Our 3 teams are in the Banbury league at a variety of levels.

However at the moment we only have a minimum of 9 players for the 3 teams, therefore anyone interested can call me on 38712.

PAUL WALLER

Tennis Club -continued:
for the help she gave with the decorations. The ticket price included a buffett, and many thanks to all the club members who cooked and prepared the food to such a high standard. I know that everyone enjoyed it. The whole eveing , including ticket sales, bar profits and takings, and the raffle contributed £230 profit to the Club accounts.So here's to an early thaw, some sunny evenings and getting up to the courts for some spring time tennis- after all, it's what your right arm is for!

JENNY SODDY

Chloe

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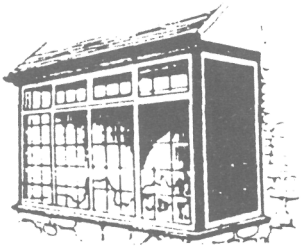

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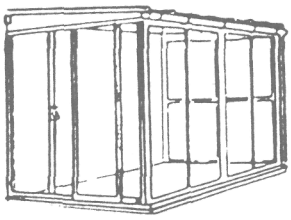

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